



**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 3743**

**S/N 10/612,711**

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| Title:      | THERMAL INTERFACE APPARATUS, SYSTEMS, AND METHODS |                  |            |
| Assignee:   | Intel Corporation                                 | Customer Number: | 21186      |

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**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 2, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a 1-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from September 2, 2005 to October 2, 2005 (Sun.).